#### BOOKS

The following list is meant to provide resources for learning more about recycling, composting and waste reduction. These books are available at your local bookstore or online. This list is by no means exclusive, and simply serves as a starting point for resources to build and enhance education efforts focusing on recycling and waste reduction.

- Nature's Art Box. 2003. Laura C. Martin. Storey Publishing, North Adams, MA.
- Recycled Crafts Box. 2003. Laura C. Martin. Storey Publishing, North Adams, MA.
- The Adventures of a Plastic Bottle: A Story About Recycling (Little Green Books). 2009.
   Alison Inches. Little Simon, New York, NY.
- Composting: Decomposition (Do It Yourself).
   2008. Buffy Silverman. Heinemann Library,
   Chicago, IL.
- Garbage and Recycling (Young Discoverers: Environmental Facts and Experiments) 2002.
   Rosie Harlow. King Fisher, Boston, MA.
- Michael Recycle. 2008. Ellie Bethel. Worthwhile Books, San Diego, CA.
- My Bag and Me! 2008. Karen Farmer. Penton Kids Press, Carlsbad, CA.
- My Big Green Teacher: Recycling (It's Easy Being Green). 2008. Michelle Y. Glennon. GDG Publishing, LLC, Atlanta, GA.
- Recycle!: A Handbook for Kids. 1992. Gail Gibbons. Hachette Book Group USA, New York, NY.
- Recycle Every Day! 2003. Nancy Elizabeth Wallace. Marshall Cavendish Corporation, Tarrytown, NY.
- Reusing and Recycling (Help the Environment).
   2008. Charlotte Guillain. Heinemann Library,
   Chicago, IL.

- Smash! Mash! Crash!: There Goes the Trash!
   2006. Barbara Odanaka. Margaret K. McElderry
   Books, New York, NY.
- The Three R's: Reuse, Reduce, Recycle. 2006.
   Nuria Roca. Barron's Educational Series, Inc.,
   Barcelona, Spain.
- Trash And Recycling (Usborne Beginners: Information for Young Readers: Level 2). 2006.
   Stephanie Turnbell. Usborne Publishing, Ltd., Saffron Hill, London.
- The Wartville Wizard. 1993. Don Madden. Aladdin Paperbacks, New York, NY.
- Waste and Recycling (Precious Earth). 2004. Jen-Green. Chrysalis Books Group, North Mankato, MN.
- Where Does the Garbage Go?: Revised Edition (Let's-Read-and-Find-Out Science 2). 1994. Paul Showers. HarperCollins Children's Books, New York, NY.
- Why Should I Recycle? (Why Should I?). 2002. Jen Green. Hodder Wayland, Great Britain.

# ENVIRONMENTAL EDUCATION CURRICULUM MATERIALS

**EEK!.** DNR's website for kids. http://www.dnr.wi.gov/eek/

Nature's Recyclers Study Guide. 1990. Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources http://dnr.wi.gov/org/aw/wm/publications/recycle/publie043.pdf

Project WILD/Project Learning Tree/Project WET Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources PO Box 7921, Madison, WI 53707 (608) 264-6280 http://dnr.wi.gov/education/pltwildwet/

## Waste and Recycling Educational Materials

(all ages), U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Ariel Rios Building, 1200 Pennsylvania Avenue N.W., Washington, DC 20460.

http://www.epa.gov/epawaste/education/index.htm and Recycle City: http://www.epa.gov/recyclecity/

### Wisconsin Association of Environmental Education

University of Wisconsin Stevens Point 8 Nelson Hall Stevens Point, WI 54481 (715) 346-2796 http://www.uwsp.edu/cnr/waee/

### COMPOSTING

# Home Composting – The Complete Composter.

2005. Publ # El-2003 2006,

Wisconsin DNR, PO Box 7921, Madison, WI 53707. http://dnr.wi.gov/org/aw/wm/publications/recycle/ PUBWA182-05.pdf

# Home Composting: Reap A Heap of Benefits.

2001. Publ. WA-072,

Wisconsin DNR, PO Box 7921, Madison, WI 53707. http://dnr.wi.gov/org/aw/wm/publications/recycle/publsw072.pdf

Yard Care: Do Your Share. 2001. Publ.WA-073. Wisconsin DNR, PO Box 7921, Madison, WI 53707. http://dnr.wi.gov/org/aw/wm/publications/anewpub/WA073.pdf

# RECYCLING ORGANIZATIONS AND RESOURCES

Associated Recyclers of Wisconsin, http://www.arow-online.org/

Keep America Beautiful, http://www.kab.org

Earth 911, http://www.earth911.com

Recycle More Wisconsin, http://recyclemorewisconsin.org/

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Solid and Hazardous Waste Education Center
(SHWEC)
Lowell Hall, 610 Langdon St., Rm. 529
Madison, WI 53703.
http://www3.uwm.edu/Dept/shwec/

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